MEMORANDUM FOR: Asst. Director/ORR   3 April 1957

FROM   : ███████████████   25X1A

SUBJECT   : A Coordinated Feasibility Evaluation
               of UW Areas

1. As you know your Geography Division has, for the past year, been
engaged in feasibility evaluations of selective Evasion and Escape (E and E)
Areas and Unconventional Warfare (UW) Areas submitted separately by the   25X1A
Strategic Air Command (SAC), by Hq. US Air Force, and ████████   These
areas had been selected independently and without coordination by various
military commands, a fact which resulted in considerable incompatibility and
excessive requirements.

2. An informal working group composed of representatives of the Army,   25X1A
the Navy, the Air Force, and ████████ has considered this problem and has
proposed a country by country feasibility evaluation for the several types of
areas required. Details of the problem and of the proposed solution are
given in the attached Memorandum for the Record prepared by the informal work-
ing group.   25X1A

3. The working group (whose members include Col. H. M. Pike, Chief,
Special Operations Division and Major J. T. Mosscrop AFOIN for the Air Force;
Major T. E. Wesson, for the Army; and ████████████████ has expressed
the wish to meet in conference with you and the Chiefs of your Geographic Re-
search, and Geography and Cartography Divisions, to discuss the details of the
proposed study. I am informed that they will request that the related projects
now in process for SAC, for the USAF and for ████████ by your Geographic and   25X1A
Cartographic Divisions be set aside, if necessary, in order to give first
priority to this coordinated feasibility study. As far as ████ is concerned,   25X1A
this action has my approval. I assume that the USAF representative of the group
will obtain, and inform you of, the approval of his Service.

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4. I attach great importance to the task which this working group has
undertaken, and ask that you give it your full support. ████████████████████
███████████████ (Ext. 3097) can serve as your contact with the group. I have
instructed him to arrange, with you, the details of the meeting proposed in
paragraph 3 above.

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